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Appellants are hereby providing notice of a change in real party in interest and identification of a potentially related administrative proceeding. Applicants note that due to lost papers in the Patent Office this application incorrect became abandoned. A Notice of Recinded Abandonment was mail by the Patent Office on February 1, 2005.

Real Party in Interest

In the Appeal Brief filed on August 20, 2003, the real party in interest was identified as NanoGram Corporation. On December 17, 2003, an assignment was executed transferring ownership from NanoGram Corporation to NanoGram Devices Corporation, although NanoGram Corp. may have retained certain licensed rights. NanoGram Devices Corporation merged with a wholly owned subsidiary of Wilson Greatbatch Technologies, Inc. on March 16, 2004. The transfer of ownership of this patent application to Wilson Greatbatch Technology, Inc. was confirmed in a document dated June 17, 2004.

Potentially Related Administrative Proceeding

Pending U.S. Patent application 09/606,884 is presently on appeal. This patent application is assigned to NanoGram Corporation, although Wilson Greatbatch Technology, Inc. may have certain rights to this patent application as a licensee. It is noted that application 09/606,884 have claims on appeal that stand rejected over one of the same cited references (U.S. Patent 5,549,880 to Koksbang) in the present appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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